



# 21<sup>st</sup> National Operator Trainers Conference 2004 Agenda



<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2004</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	
7:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast	
8:00 – 8:15 a.m.	<b>Session Opening:</b> Joe Maez, P.E., Nevada Division of Environmental Protection Kirk Peterson, SPB Utility Services, Inc., Nevada 104(g) Trainer	
8:15 – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker:</b> Steve Bradhurst, P.E., Washoe County Director of Water Resources	
8:30 – 10:00 a.m.	<b>EPA Security Updates and Reporting Procedures</b> Margaret Dodds, USEPA Curt Baranowski, USEPA	
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	<b>BREAK</b>	
10:15 – 12:15 p.m.	<b>Nuggets of Wisdom:</b> Russ Martin	
12:15 – 1:30	<b>LUNCH</b>	
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	<b>Advanced Integrated Pond Systems:</b> Michael Richard, P.E., PhD, Sear-Brown	
2:30 – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Innovative Pond Technology in Nevada-Case Study:</b> Joel Bleth, President, Solarbee Pump Systems Extending lagoon performance for nitrogen and phosphorous nutrient removal. Understanding the interplay between nutrient removal, BOD reduction, aeration, algae and pH.	
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:30 – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Training Needs Assessment for Small Communities</b> John Hoornbeek, Director Craig Mains, Training Specialist National Environmental Training Center for Small Communities	<b>Asset Management at Small Wastewater Utilities</b> Doug Abbott, Senior Instructor Maryland Center for Env. Training Bob Norcross, Program Manager/Instructor Delaware Technical & Community College Environmental Training Center
4:15 – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Utility Response to Nuclear, Biological &amp; Chemical Attack</b> Ray Fuller, Vulnerability Assessment Surveyor	<b>Biological Nutrient Removal in Nevada</b> Kirk Peterson, 104(g) Trainer SPB Utility Services, Inc.
5:30 – 6:30	Cocktail Hour	
6:30 – 8:00	<b>BANQUET AWARDS DINNER</b>	
8:00 -?	Jack's Room	



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<b>Date:</b>	<b>Wednesday, June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2004</b>
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	Breakfast
8:00 – 9:30 a.m.	<b>TMDL's - Round Table Session:</b> Paul Krauth, Utah Department of Environmental Quality
9:30 – 10:15 a.m.	<b>On-Line Course Development:</b> Kurt Ohlinger, CSU Sacramento Office of Water Programs
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>BREAK</b>
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Presentation:</b> Tahoe-Truckee Sanitation Agency
11:00 – 12:00	<b>LUNCH</b>
12:00 – 1:00	Travel to Tahoe-Truckee Sanitation Agency
1:00 – 3:00	TTSA Tour
3:00 – 4:00	Travel to Zephyr Cove boat launch area
4:30 – 7:00	<b>MS Dixie Dinner Cruise</b>
7:00 – 8:00	Return to Reno
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2004</b>
<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>
7:30 – 9:00	Breakfast
9:00 – 10:00	<b>Vulnerability Self-Assessment Tool (VSAT) - Roundtable Session</b>
10:00 – 10:45	TBA
10:45 – 11:00	<b>BREAK</b>
11:00 – 12:00	<b>Business Meeting Next Year's Business EPA Closing</b>